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HEALTH BOARD BANS CANYON PICNIC GROUNDS

Lack of Sanitation Given As Reason For Official Action

FREE PICNIC grounds in Niles canyon have been closed to the public by the state board of health.

This drastic action against picnickers in the canyon came this week following a thorough investigation of sanitary conditions in the various areas left open by the Spring Valley Water company for picnic purposes.

Besides closing the free picnic grounds in the canyon, the health board is imposing strict regulations on private parks maintained under leases from the water company.

The long period of dry weather has emptied the creek of its water and pools formed by dams are said to be stagnant and unfit for swimming. Grass and shrubs are dry and dusty along the hill slopes and practically everything about the picnic grounds is such as to make picnicking unsafe from a health standpoint, members of the board of health declare.

The fact that the free picnic spaces in the canyon are not provided with refuse containers, thereby causing the promiscuous scattering of waste food stuff, and that no other sanitary features exist, is, in the opinion of the health authorities, an invitation for contagious disease germs to make merry with human life.

MONOXIDE GASSES SLOW UP WORKERS IN W. P. TUNNEL

Bureau of Mines Official Sets Repair Time at Three Weeks

Carbon monoxide gasses, extremely dangerous to human life, are holding back workmen in the Western Pacific tunnel in Niles canyon.

This report came today from the bureau of mines officials who are conducting a restoration program in the burned bore. Apparatus men from the bureau yesterday penetrated the tunnel from the west portal to the point where the bore is blocked by the cave-in resulting from the fire which has been burning two weeks.

The deadly gasses were encountered in such quantities as to make it impossible for workmen to enter the last air chamber without gas masks. Officials indicate that it will be at least three weeks before the damage can be repaired.

Some of the timbers are still smoldering and it is feared that if an attempt be made to blow the gasses out that the fresh air would cause the fire to flame up again.

Preparations are being made today for firemen, equipped with masks, to enter the last chamber with lines of hose to extinguish the fire.

TIME AND PLACE SET FOR ALL-DAY FETE BY C. OF C.

And there'll be plenty of beefing among the members of the Niles chamber of commerce on Sunday, October 13.

That's the day the local commerce chamber plans to hold a big barbecue and all-day frolic in Rose's canyon. There will be a program of sports, dramatics and speeches and a good time is assured all who attend.

The committee in charge of the affair is said to be leaving nothing undone that might add to the glory and the pleasure of the day. Members of several neighboring chambers of commerce are to be guests of honor.

Church Guild to Meet Next Wednesday, Oct. 9

The Ladies' Guild of the Niles Congregational church will hold its next meeting, Wednesday, October 9, according to an announcement made this week by Mrs. A. A. Hatch.

Quite an ambitious program is being prepared for the session and Mesdames Kennaid and Cull will be hostesses.

Dunsmuir—Local postoffice installed additional equipment.

Two Niles Boy Scouts Pass Swimming Tests

Seven Boy Scouts of Niles went to San Francisco recently to take swimming tests, and two of the group were successful.

The Scouts who made the trip were Marshall Green, Edward Wargin, Jack Townsend, Frank Ferry, George Geib and Byron Frontz. The successful swimmers were Jack Townsend and Morrison Green.

A "great' time was had in the metropolis by the Niles young men.

Niles Medico Installs New Therapeutic Lamp

That the medical profession in Niles is keeping pace with the times in the matter of aleviating human ills, is shown this week in the installaton of a new therapeutic lamp in the office of Dr. E. C. Grau.

Dr. Grau states the new lamp is used chiefly in giving ultra-violet ray treatments, one of sciences latest and most efficient means of curing certain organic troubles.

NILES MEN FINED

Pleading guilty to a charge of possession, Silvio Tagni of Niles was fined $150 in Judge Allen Norris' court, Centerville, on Tuesday afternoon. Renoldo Cozzi, also of Niles, entered a plea of sale and was fined $250. Other complaints against the two men were dismissed.

Jail Sentence Ends Trouble Of Niles Man

Family troubles which sent Antone S. Costa of Niles to the county jail for six months have been smoothed out, apparently, with his release from the bastile this week.

Visibly happy over his freedom, Costa visited the office of the Township Register Monday and ordered his paper transfered from the county jail in Oakland to Sunnyvale, where he and his wife intend to make their home.

Costa said he had enjoyed reading the Register each week and that he had noted the news of Washington township with great interest. He intimated peace had been declared in his family circle and that he expected life in Sunnyvale would be free from further discord.

His many friends in Niles wished him peace and prosperity in his new home.

ODD FELLOWS OF NILES VISIT IN HAYWARD MONDAY

It was "old timers'" night at Hayward Lodge, I. O. O. F. last Monday night and a large number of Odd Fellows from Niles were special guests of honor.

The fraternal organization staged a splendid program and a fine supper and otherwise treated the visiting lodgemen royally through out the evening.

Next Monday night, Niles Lodge, 382, I. O. O. F. will hold installation exercises for a class of four candidates. There will be a special program and a supper following the initiatory work.

WASHINGTON HAS MORE BAD LUCK IN GRID TUSSLE

Failing to develop sufficient power to shove or toss the ball across the rival's goal line, the Washington Union high school grid warriors went down to a 20-0 defeat last Friday at the hands of Oakland high.

The game, played on the Oakland school's gridiron, was devoid of spectacular plays. Oakland scored in every period except the second. Carroll scored first after a drive straight down the field, and again in the fourth period on a dash off tackle to the goal line from 40 yards out.

A blocked kick by Buck Traviz accounted for the final score. The kick was from the toe of La Madrid and was from behind Washington's goal.

FLAMES DESTROY TRUCK AND LOAD ON STEEP GRADE

Luck broke doubly hard for T. A. Cambis, truck owner and driver of Albany, California, Wednesday night when fire not only destroyed his big 8-ton truck but 280 cases of tomatoes as well.

The unfotunate and costly incident occured on the grade about two and one-half miles north of Mission San Jose. Cambis states the first intimation he had of the fire was when flames shot up around his feet through the dash.

He states he crowded the big truck into the bank and attempted to extinguish the fire with dirt. When the gas tank exploded, dry grass on the hillside ignited. Cambis estimates his loss at $3000.

Everything is in readiness for the card party to be held tonight by Y. L. I. Many beautiful prizes have been collected and will be awarded the high score holders. A large crowd is expected by those in charge.

Work Progressing Rapidly On Legion Clubhouse At Niles

ACCORDING to the present speed of construction, and, providing weather conditions are favorable, the opening date of the American Legion's new $48000 clubhouse at Niles will be something between the first and fifteenth of January, next year.

J. E. Branagh of Oakland, general contractor on the job, has a large crew of men at work on the attractive structure, which will be one of the largest and best equipped clubhouses in the state.

The new Legion building is situated on Second street on property donated to the ex-service men by J. C. Shinn, owner of a large tract of land at the northern boundary of the town. The architecture is semi-Spanish or old-mission, the construction being hollow tile and brick with tile roof. Henry Meyers of San Francisco drew the plans.

Vieux Bros. of Niles are the electrical contractors. This firm states the new Legion Clubhouse will be equipped with beautiful fixtures and electrical apparatus of the very latest type.

Among the features of the new building will be a large auditorium and a fully-equipped stage of a size capable of handling most any sort of dramatics. The auditorium will be 44 by 70 feet with a seating capacity of approximately 500. The floor will be of hard wood and level.

The clubhouse will have a large club room for men, a lodge room, kitchen, women's club room and an attractive pergola where dancers can stroll between dances. This eventually will be a vine-covered promenade 14 feet wide and approximately 65 feet in length.

There will be a large open fireplace in the men's club room, a library and many other features attractive to men. The kitchen will be equipped right up to the minute, and other details of the building will be strictly up to date.

Much of the credit for such a large and beautiful clubhouse being constructed in Niles for the American Legion is due to Ralph Richmond, supervisor for this district. Original plans are said to have called for a building to cost less than $10,000, and, through personal effort, Supervisor Richmond succeeded in getting the entire arrangements altered to what they are today.

The Register for job printing.

SHERIFF B. BECKER SPEAKER AT NILES C. OF C. MEETING

Night Watchman's Salary Has Been Brought Up to Date

Quoting facts and figures with the ease and accuracy of a university professor, Sheriff Burton B. Becker of Alameda county told the Niles chamber of commerce a few of the major trials and tribulations of his office on Wednesday at the regular luncheon of the organization.

Declaring his office was woefully undermanned with only 41 deputy sheriffs as against 765 for Los Angeles county and more than 200 for San Francisco county, Sheriff Becker went on to tell of the vast volumne of work transacted each month in and around the county jail, and pointed particularly to the fact that the prisoner capacity of the institution was already exceeded by 10 men.

It is Sheriff Becker's hope that a county prison farm will be established soon on which many men can be placed and where practically all of the vegetables used in the county jail can be raised.

Sheriff Becker's talk, while throbbing with figures, was intensely interesting and gave to the members of the Niles commerce chamber a clearer insight into the machinery of the office. A point of particular interest to the audience was the fact that in 1931 all constables will automatically become deputy sheriffs and partically all of the civil and legal work now being done by them will be thrown onto the sheriff's office.

The chamber of commerce committe on the night watchman situation reported that enough money had been collected to pay a two-month's back salary. No other business was discussed.

A large delegation of Centerville chamber of commerce members was present.

Classified ads are business getters.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC UNDERPASS TO BE FIVE FEET WIDER

Separate Tunnel Will Be Constructed For Pedestrians

CONSTRUCTION work on the new state highway from Hayward to Niles reached the Southern Pacific under-pass at the north boundary of Niles this week.

Both the state and the Southern Pacific company are now at work altering the under-pass to conform with the new width of the highway.

According to the plans, the present 5-foot pedestran path that runs along the western wall of the under-pass is to be removed and supplanted by a 7-foot under-pass to the west of the present retaining wall.

This change will give motor traffic an additional five-foot passage clearance in the under-pass and pedestrians an absolutely safe passage from one end to the other.

According to statement made last March by John J. Skeggs, district engineer on state highway construction, the new highway will be thirty feet wide through the town of Niles and the new work will not alter existing property lines.

The present pavement on Main street is eighteen feet wide. The state's plan of improvement calls for additional strips of approximately six feet in width on each side, giving fifteen feet of pavement to the right and left of the center line.

The widened highway will extend, according to present plans to the bridge over Niles creek at the south end of town.

COMING EVENTS CAST THEIR SHADOWS BEFORE

REGISTER'S FRATERNAL, SOCIAL AND AMUSEMENT CALENDAR

Oct. 8—Chamber of Commerce noon luncheon meeting.
Oct. 9—Meeting of Ladies Guild at Community church.
Oct. 13—Chamber of Commerc barbecue in Rose's canyon.
Oct. 8—First game of World Series at Chicago.
Oct. 30—Niles P. T A Whist Party.
Nov. 11—Dance, Washington Post A L., at Garden of Allah.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

By NORMAN H. PARKS, Publisher Register

POLITICS AND THE JUDICIARY

NOTHING has occurred in San Francisco politics recently that has elicited so much criticism of what is known as the Senator Shortridge-Samuel Shortridge, Jr.-Joseph McInerney-Ray Benjamin-machine as the summary dismissal from office of George M. Naus, chief deputy to United States Attorney Hatfield.

Winning recognition for his merit as a prosecuting attorney from his superiors, Naus' removal has caused a storm of protest little anticipated by those responsible for his removal.

The political fracus across the bay has brought to light many queer angles, some of which involve, discreditably, courts, and again, if this is necessary, prove that the judiciary is often influenced by other motives than dispensing measured and even justice.

The ramifications of the Shortridge clique reaches, it is alleged, from the attorney general's office to the hall of justice at San Francisco. It has been powerful enough, it is claimed, to remove post office inspectors for running to earth a rich man's son who had pulled a major postal robbery. The father swore vengence when his offspring was caught and convicted, and, according to published stories, succeeded in having officers of the law removed from their home districts to distant points of the nation. A dismissal was desired, but this was a little too brazen even for a ward politician to sanction, so the honest postal inspectors were kept on the pay roll but taken from their home localities as punishment for laying hands on a rich and influential criminal.

Another thing has become a political topic of the last few days interesting especially the Register, and again proves that there is something rotten in Denmark. A big slicker who had defrauded hundreds of their life savings, through some "get-rich-quick" scheme, and was subsequently convicted of using the mails to defraud, found the doors of prison soon swinging wide open. Sentenced for a term of years, in a few months he again breathed free air. His accomplice, unfortunately, it is said, failed to hire an attorney close to the "ring" and he still rots in the penitentiary.

And still our parol board goes its way, and the governor offers no protest—lays no restraining hand on its deliberations. A spineless press, permits murders and thieves to go free under a parole, without a word of condemnation. The story is printed that Dorothy McKay, and her paramour, Kelly, is free. That is all. Big Hutch, a dirty thief of the lowest order, wins the sympathy of the parole board and goes forth a free man. The news story went out from the press associations about that affair of the Richardson regime—and that was all.

Perhaps the metropolitan press, that has within its power to reach hundreds of thousands in a good cause, is fearful that a stand for decency might imperil a single advertising contract, and a rival paper might beat it the following month on total lineage, so it stiffles the righteous wrath of its managing editor and lets the matter ride with an A.P. dispatch that the McKays, the Kellys and the whole tribe of criminal rich but briefly are restrained by the c-r-u-e-l bars of prison.

Oh, for a newspaper ownership with the stamina to stand for something worth while—that the wail of misery, and the voice of justice might for once drown the ring of the cash register. That the big city paper, with such wonderful opportunities for rectifying injustice, might again aspire to public service, and for an instant forget the clamor of its stockholders for greater dividends—and hew to the line, let the chips fall where they will!

FOR COURTESY'S SAKE

WE DO NOT BELIEVE a sidewalk should be made the parking place of a car, even in an unincorporated town. The public's rights should be considered voluntarily, not by compulsion—as long as there is no compulsion. People who own vacant property should occasionally sweep off the walk, or hire some one to do so for them.

It is very true, we have no authority in this town to stop one from parking his car anywhere

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Brush and Grass Fire On W. P. Right of Way

The Niles fire department was called out Monday afternoon to aid in battling a grass and brush fire on the Western Pacific right of way near the entrance to Niles Canyon.

Sparks from a rubbish heap are said to have ignited the neighboring grass and brush and the fire was gaining dangerous headway when the local firemen reached the scene.

Telephone Directory Will Be Ready Nov. 1

Work on a new telephone directory of a smaller and more compact size, and which will be especially convenient for Alameda county telephone subscribers, is progressing rapidly and will be issued on or about November 1, according to information given out this week by officials of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company.

Approximately 4000 copies of the new directory will be issued. It will contain a "buyer's guide" which will list most business concerns of the county.

The new law is strict in regard to proper lights. Therefore it is advisable to carry extra light bulbs. And before starting on a trip be sure that all your lights are functioning and that they are in proper adjustment.

Martinez — Construction started on two dry kilns for Western Plywood Company.

WASHINGTON "B" ELEVEN DEFEATS HAYWARD, 15 to 0

By JAMES GEIB

It took the "B," or second team, of Washington Union high school to show the first string men how to cross the enemy's goal line when the youngsters met and defeated Hayward high last Wednesday on the latter's field. The score was 15 to 0.

The Washington babes went to work with a vengeance, and, taking advantage of Hayward's many fumbles, soon had the ball over the line for a touchdown.

Soito, the boy who roars like a lion, played a hard, steady game and was instrumental in advancing the ball down the field. He may be noisy, but he sure knows how to plow through an opposing line.

Beveridge, the lad with an abundance of nerve, hit the line hard and proved his metal on many occasions. The whole Washington line made a better showing than the first team line has done so far this season.

Nurserymen Hold Busy Convention at Fresno

Meeting in Fresno Friday and Saturday, the California Association of Nurserymen strongly recommended that the nursery industry be represented on agriculture council of the state of California.

A report of the George C. Roeding memorial committee, and a resume of state and national legislation affecting the industry, also marked the two-day session.

Roeding is head of the California Nurseries at Niles.

Alvarado News

By BERNICE BOYD

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burgess and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Laplante on Sunday.

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The P. G. & E. started the distribution of Natural Gas in Alvarado last Tuesday. A large number of their workmen covered the town adjusting each individual stove.

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Mrs. Carrie Emerson of Whittier is visiting with Mrs. Geo. P. Hellwig at her home in Alvarado.

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Mrs. J. H. Ralph entertained the birthday club at her home last Thursday. All of the members were present: Mrs. McCarty, Mrs. Ford, Mrs. Tainton, Mrs. Bailhache of Oakland, Mrs. John Scribner of Livermore, and Mrs. Geo. Hellwig, Mrs. Emma Hellwig, Mrs. Dora Richmond, Mrs. A. May, Mrs. W. S. Robie, Mrs. Rose Springer. Mrs. Carrie Emerson of Whittier was also a guest.

A delightful afternoon was spent playing bridge, at which Mrs. Bailhache won first prize. Mrs. Ford won the draw prize.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. Richardson of Broadmoor spent Sunday visiting in Alvarado.

The Leslie Baseball Club defeated the Corgiat Tires Team by a score of 7 to 6 last Sunday in a very exciting game. The game was played on the Alvarado diamond, and witnessed by a great number of baseball fans.

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The Ladies Aid met last Thursday at their regular meeting where they made final preparations for their whist party which is to be held in the I. O. O. F. Hall on Wednesday, October 2nd. They have planned a delightful evening for everyone who attends.

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Mr. John Gomes manager of the Alvarado Theater, has recently taken over the management of the Leal Theater at Irvington. He has also erected a new electric sign on his theater in Alvarado. This sign is very large and can be plainly seen from the main highway.

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Mrs. L. L. McClellan and her daughter of San Francisco spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Chas. Baird in Alvarado.

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Mrs. Robie, Mrs. May, Mrs. Baird, Miss Naurt and Mrs. Munger were among the guests from Alvarado who attended an afternoon tea recently which was given in Pleasanton

TILT OVER GIRL LEADS TO FINES IN NILES COURT

As usual it was all over a girl.

And so Gregg Whalen and Irving Bernal, both of San Jose, paid fines of $20 each on Tuesday in the court of Judge J. A. Silva in Niles.

Whalen and Bernal are said to have disturbed the peace when they engaged in fisticuffs in the rear of the Garden of Allah last Saturday night. A dispute over a girl friend is given as the cause for the impromptu battle. The exchange of blows attracted a crowd in which police officers happened to be.

Chevrolets Are Popular Cars Around Township

Chevrolets are proving a popular car with residents of Washington township and the Rose Garages in Niles and Centerville are being kept busy making deliveries on new models.

Among the sales made by the local agents during the past week are: 2 coaches to the California Nursery, a sedan to Milton Seivir, a sedan to Mrs. Sarah Crane, a coupe to Ernest Roderick, a coach to G. Whalen of Alvarado, a coach to T. Takashia of Centerville, a coupe to T. Meine of Centerville, a coupe to M. V. Maceil and a sedan to Ward Crane of Niles.

ELKS TO PICNIC ON OCTOBER 12 IN ROSE CANYON

Rose's canyon near Niles will ring with merry voices on Saturday night, October 12, when the Alameda lodge of Elks stages a frolic and barbecue there.

The big affair is for the members of the lodge and the Elks Association of Washington township. The barbecue grounds have been turned over to the lodge by Ed Rose of Niles for the occasion, and elaborate plans are said to be in the making for the program which will be given in connection with the open-air dinner.

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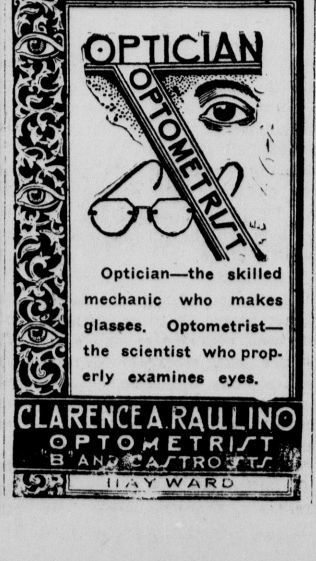

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30x5.25 (5.25-20)	8.40	9.77	10.95
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JEANNE EAGLES IN "JEALOUSY" AT THE T&D

Should a woman conceal her past and risk her husband's jealousy? See Jeanne Eagels in her new dramatic masterpiece, "Jealousy," the Paramount all-talking thunderboldt coming at the T & D theatre Friday.

The tempestuous star of the stage and screen has scored in three of the greatest hits ever written. "Rain" brought her fame. "The Letter" established her as a screen star. Now she offers "Jealousy," tense high-voltage drama acclaimed even better than "The Letter."

"Jealousy" records with daring frankness the intimate story of a woman who had two lovers. Fredric March, who played the male lead in Clara Bows "Wild Party," is one man. The other is Halliwell Hobbes. Additional famous stage names in the cast include Blanche Le Clair, Henry Daniel and Hilda Moore.

In "The Letter" a thoughtlessly written note changed the lives of three persons. In "Jealousy" it is a word—just one spoken word—that alters destinies.

The smartness of Paris has been caught in this picture which has the sophistication and polish of perfect acting. "Jealousy" like "The Letter" is unsuited for children. Adults, however, will find it splendid entertainment.

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MOTION PICTURE FANS HAVE GOOD BILLS IN STORE

Motion picture fans of Washington township will see and hear some fine pictures during the next seven days if they go to the Niles theater at Niles.

Tonight the feature picture is "The Studio Murder Mystery," a thrilling detective yarn that takes the audience back of the scenes in a big motion picture studio. This is something new in the way of talking pictures and has met with great success wherever shown.

On Saturday night patrons of the Niles will see the first 100 per cent all talking western. It stars "Yakima Canutt," and it is chuck full of thrills and dramatic incidents. The program for Sunday and Monday features an all-star cast in "Big News." This is an all-talking classic.

One of the big features coming to the Niles next week is Clara Bow in "Dangerous Curves."

DUCK'S LIFE IS TOUGH ONE AROUND HERE

MANY A DUCK and plenty of atmosphere has been punctured this week with No. 6 shot, for the open season on mallards, teal and sprig began Tuesday morning at day break.

Washington township sportsmen invaded the Newark marshes early and many came home with limit bags. The shooting promises to be exceedingly good this season. The northern birds have not reached the local grounds, but at clubs where the ponds have been baited keepers state that members should get their limits early.

Lovers of wild game will save on their meat bills this month—providing their aim is O. K.

PRICE OF GRAPES IS REPORTED HIGHER

The grape crop in the Pleasanton vineyard districts will average sixty per cent under normal, according to offitials of the H. P. Garin eompany's packing plant here. This estimate is based upon the report of buyers throughout the district.

The first shipment of grapes left Pleasanton last week, and will continue until the crop is harvested. Tomatoes also are still being shipped, with the run continuing to be of the highest grade, accodring to inspectors of the state agriculture department at the local plant.

Among the larger grape growers of this vicinity who have started picking are the Ruby Hill vineyard, Home Bros., Mingoia Bros., H. B. Oxsen, Peter Kroeger and C. O. Towner.

Prices for grapes are better this season than for several years past. according to the growers.

FRESHMEN ELECT

At a meeting that was so full of pep that the members of the faculty were astounded, the Freshmen class at Washington Union high school this week elected Elmo Grimmer, president, and other officers as follows: Ernest Garcia, vice-president; Jewell Amaral, secretary-treasurer, and Ralph Logan and Wilma Davis, yell leaders.

ARE YOU PAID UP?

In the same line with your name on your paper the correct date when your subscription expires is supposed to appear. Notice this date. If it indicates that the subscription has expired, kindly send in your renewal.

-Mission San Jose-

The Mission P. T. A. initiated the fathers of the community into the association last Saturday. A card party followed and refreshments were served.

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Mss Rosalyn Tellis, whose marriage to Anthony Garcia will be celebrated here next Sunday was honored last Sunday evening by a miscellaneous shower party. The bride-to-be received many beautiful gifts from her circle of friends.

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Mrs. Manuel Alreir of San Francisco, formerly Miss Mary Alreir, is the proud mother of a baby daughter.

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Will the preson who is contributing interesting and deeply appreciated news items from Mission San Jose to the Register please communicate with the editor.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Rogers, their son Herbert and daughter Barbara have returned from an automobile trip which took them to many points of interest.

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Mr. Cyrus Solon attended a meeting of the Elks in Alameda last Monday night.

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A birthday party was held in honor of Bert Dutri last Saturday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ed Feliciano, and the Misses Elsa and Verna Santos, motored to Capitola recently.

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M. Antone and family have moved into their new home in Mission San Jose.

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Mr. Willis and family, residents of this town for the past seven years, have moved to Niles.

LOOKING AROUND We See-

Here we are, Sunshine Club members, in another weekly meeting. The Pastor trusts each and every one of you is in the best of health, happily employed and chuck full of the urge to lighten the sorrows of someone else less fortunate.

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Remember the doctrine of this colyum is the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man. Our aim is to spread sunbeams into the darkened corners of life. To be a good Sunshiner,one must be an optimist, a cheerful giver and a friend to everyone.

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COUNT YOUR BLESSINGS
By Harriet Hawley Locher

Count your blessings every day;
Count them as you go your way
Through the busy paths of life;
Count them in the midst of strife— ,
Sunshine, flowers, and cloudless sky
Count, and then forget to sigh.
Count the child that smiles at you;
Count the will you have to do;
Count, and thank the God above
For the blessings of His love.

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A Prohibitionist says the reason the country is short of homes is that too much money has been put into cellars.

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AN OLD PROVERB

Keep yourself free from anger of a great man, from the tumult of a mob, from fools in a narrow way, from a man that is marked, from a widow that has been thrice married, from the wind that comes in at a hole, and from a reconciled enemy.

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The Washington township man just back from a vacation always says he feels better, but what he means is that he feels it's better to be back home.

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A Centerville merchant tells us the honeymoon is still on if she laughs out loud when he turns over a catsup bottle on the new tablecloth.

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CHEER UP!

When you're knocked
It's for a reason,
And remember—
They never knock a dead one.

PERSONAL NEWS

Mrs. Owen Swainson was in San Francisco on Monday giving a demonstration of the "Ringlett" permanent wave at Marcus-Lesoines. Mrs. Swainson conducts the De Luxe beauty parlor in Niles.

Construction started on first unit of new scenic highway which will extend from Arroyo Seco in Pasadena to Azusa via Pine Flats.

STRANGE TITLES GIVEN TEAMS BY CLASS CAPTAINS

Among the recent new departures in the general run of things at Washington Union high school is the division of the physical education classes into teams. This has been done, according to Miss M. McMillan, physical education instructor, to allow every girl in the school a chance to play on a team.

Fifteen teams have been formed in a basketball tournament. The names of the teams are unique, to say the least. They are: "Troupers," "Clarkie's Babies,', "We," "Tomboys," "Our Gang," "Red Hot Peppers," "Pimmie's Dumbbells" "Hellians," "Whooppee Kids," "Swanie's Stars,' "Ginger's Jazz Babies," "Rough Riders," "Izzie's Dizzies," "Little Pals," "Bachelor Girls," and Flying Clouds."

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The Newark Register

By JULIA RUSCHIN

Virgil Cherry Receives Fraternity Scholarship

A Newark boy, Virgil H. Cherry, a graduate of the Washington Union High School at Centerville, has received the honor of a Phi Beta Kappa scholarship at the University of California, according to a list just published.

For the first time in several years a majority of the recipients of the honor are men, the division being thirty-one men and twenty-nine women.

Mr. nd Mrs. Lathan Berlin of Alameda are the proud parents of a baby boy born on September 26th. Mrs. Berlin was formerly Miss May Anderson and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Anderson. The new arrival has caused a great deal of excitement being the first grandchild in the family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Barney Mueller left Monday for Los Angeles where they intend to make their future home.

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The Women's Missionary Meeting met Thursday evening in the Sunday School Rooms of the Presbyterian Church. Seventeen members and three visitors were present. After the meeting delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. John Slaton and Mrs. Henry Williams.

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Mrs. Hathaway who has been visiting with Dr and Mrs. Mathes for the last few weeks left last Thursday for her home in San Anselmo.

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The "Loyalty Crusade" will start next Sunday at the Presbyterian Church and will continue for seven weeks. Each Sunday evening will be services conducted by the women in song and story form.

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Miss Elsie Haley of San Francisco spent the week-end with her aunt Mrs. M. W.. Flaherty.

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Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Shirley of Alameda were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Fuller on Sunday

Annul Masque Ball Is Plan of Bluebird Club

At a recent meeting of the Bluebird Club plans were made for the Tenth Annual Hallowe'en Masquerade Ball to be given at the Newark Pavilion on October 26th. The proceeds of this dance will be used for the Newark Community Christmas Tree, when each year everyone in the community is invited to be the guests of the Bluebirds for the evening, and in addition to a program and beautiful Christmas Tree, toys and fruit are distributed to all the kiddies present.

The Bluebirds hope to have a bigger affair than ever before and according to the committee on decorations, entertainment, etc., a good time will be assured all attending.

Among those on the several committees are, Publicity: Julia Ruschin, Lida Francis and Delphine Costa; Decoration; Rose Santos, Emily Reider, Marie Dutra, Mildred Blacow and Beatrice Miller; Refreshments, Frances Turnbow, Violet Manley, Margaret Laudenschlager, Dorothy Gibson, Mabel Callow.

Many prizes will also be given for the best sustained characters, most original characters, best cowboy or cowgirl and best ad costume.

Miss Gretta Reid is confined to bed due to an infection in her foot from stepping on a rusty nail.

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Miss Ruth Fuller of Graeagle, Plumas County and Mr. Chris Olson of Oakland visited with the H. W. Fuller family here on Sunday. Miss Fuller is attending Heald's Business College in Oakland.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Laudenslager and daughter Margaret spent Sunday in San Francisco where they visited with Mildred Laudenschlager who is at the Children's Hospital.

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Mrs. Eva Steinhoff and children visited with relatives in Napa on Sunday.

Hungry Hoboes in Raid On Grocery Store Stock

A months supply of canned goods, corn, tomatoes, beans, various fruits, coffee and so forth, was removed from the shelves of Arthur Silva's grocery store here one night last week by someone who evidently doesn't intend to come back and pay the bill.

Entrance to the store was gained through a front window that was smashed with a brick. The burglary was committed by hungry hoboes according to Constables Tom Silva and Manuel J. Bernardo who investigated.

Mr. Stanley Anderson and Miss Myrtle Brown both of San Jose were married at Redwood City on September, 22. Mr. Anderson was formerly of Newark and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Anderson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Victor Saramento are the proud parents of a baby boy born at the Silva Maternity Home last week.

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The Misses Rachel and Edith Ross have returned from a few weeks visit with relatives in Fresno.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hollouf were tendered a surprise house warming at their new home on the Niles-Mission San Jose highway by their many Newark friends on Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Hollouf were residents of Newark for years, and their many friends although disliking to have them leave Newark, wish them much happiness in their new home which is one of the prettiest in the township.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gus Kouns are the proud parents of a baby boy born last week.

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Mr. Louis Milani was host to 75 friends at the private barbecue held at the Pavilion grounds last Sunday. The occasion of the affair being the completion of the first unit of work of the new Arden Salt Ponds of which Mr. Milani had the contract.

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Delegates Appointed to Visit League Convention

The Misses Marie White and Mabel Fyffe, president and secretary of the Girls' League at Washington Union high school, respectively, will attend the annual conference of the High School Girls' League of the Bay section this coming Saturday at Alameda.

At a recent meeting of the league at Washington High plans were made for the Freshmen reception which takes place tomorrow.

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DECOTO REGISTER

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DECOTO C. OF C. TO SEEK AID IN SANITARY FIGHT

Continuing its campaign to secure proper sanitary conditions in the district, the Decoto chamber of commerce has voted to confer with neighboring commerce chambers in hope that some united plan and concerted action will result.

Housing conditions in the Decoto section have been in a bad way from the very beginning, according to members of the chamber of commerce, and it has been that organization's aim to remedy for a long time. This remedy for a long time. A petition seeking aid from the District Attorney's office was circulated, filled and delivered. This was returned recently with the paper of acknowledgment and with the promise of a legal assistance whenever a definite plan of proceedure had been decided upon by the chamber.

It is the hope of the Decoto civic group that a workable program can be mapped out in the near future.

ing Tuesday. He is reported to have bagged the limit in short time.

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R. Banes Anderson Jr. of Oakland was the speaker last Sunday evening at the Decoto Community church

The Decoto Mothers club attended a tea on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. A. E. Carter. Among those present were Mesdames Amaral, Walker, Bowers, Andrade and Vargas

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A. A..Amaral holds the honor of having caught a 33-pound bass near Pittsburg. Amaral recently attended the annual outing of the Oakland Bass Club of which he is a member.

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Mrs. L. Brieiner, who recently left Decoto for Los Angeles, has written to Mrs. Elsie Luna, telling of having a very pleasant time in the southland.

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Mr. and Mrs. Brewer and family of Galt have moved their home to Decoto. Brewer is employed at the sugar mill.

Township Register for commercial printing.

J. L. Olson, who recently was on the sick list, was able to shoulder a gun and go duck hunt-

Five Civil Service Jobs To Be Filled By Jan. 1

Residents of Washington township are notified this week of five civil service positons to be filled before January 1, 1930.

According to L. R. Bartlett, secretary and chief examiner of the Alameda County Civil Service commission, examinations will be held in October and November for the following positions:

Assistant probation officer. Salary, $175 per month. Examination to be held Friday, October 4, at 9 a. m., in the Heben-Code building, 829 Harrison street, Oakland.

Foreman painter. Salary $250 per month. Examination Monday, October 7, at same address.

Medical statistician. Salary $100 per month. Medical statistician stenographer. Salary $100. Examinations, Friday, October 18. Same address.

Seasonal or temporary senior clerk. Salary $175 per month. Examination, November 8. Same address.

For full particulars write L. R. Bartlett at the Heben Code building.

Mrs. Grace Loscher and husband of Auburn, Placer county, were the week-end guests of Mrs. Loscher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Ellis in Niles. Loscher is auditor of Placer county

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by T. T. Maxey

"A Female Stranger"

IN THE little burial ground of St. Paul's church at Alexandria, Va., there is an inscription on a monument that never fails to attract the interest of alert passers-by. What's more, the identity of the woman whose resting place it marks has eluded all attempts to solve the mystery for more than a century of time. It reads—

"To The Memory
of A
Female Stranger
whose mortal sufferings terminated on the fourth day of October, 1816—aged 25 years and 8 months. This stone is erected by her disconsolate husband, in whose arms she breathed out her last sigh, and who, under God, did his utmost to soothe the dull, cold ear of death."

It appears that a brig en route from Halifax to the West Indies, put this couple ashore on July 25; that they secured hotel and physician service; that the woman's face was kept heavily veiled, despite the hot weather; that two hotel guests only were permitted by the man to help him care for her, and they only after being sworn to secrecy concerning what they might learn; that he prepared her body for burial, ordered the stone marker with the above description and disappeared after the funeral; that annually for some years he returned and inspected the grave and then his visits ended.

Many years later, as the story goes, an elderly man and woman appeared, ordered the stone replaced by a more costly monument, and the following verse added:

How loved, how honored once avails thee not—
To whom related or by whom begot;
A heap of dust alone remains of thee;
'Tis all thou art, and all the proud shall be.

Then, they too, disappeared, leaving the identity of "The Female Stranger" forever shrouded in mystery.

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Irvington Register

John Taylor and Miss Mary Nunes, both of Irvington, were the guests last Sunday of Taylor's mother in Berkeley. It was Taylor's birthday and a big dinner and party marked the day and evening.

MANY PLEASANTON PEOPLE ATTEND DAVINA WEDDING

The marriage of Miss Gertrude Davina to William L. Silva at Sunnyvale last week was witnessed by many relatives and friends from Pleasanton. The bride was of friends there.

Miss Elsie Andrade was the maid of honor and the bridegroomsman was Frank Davina, a former resident of Pleasanton and is well known and has hosts brother of the bride. Little Gladys Nunue of Sunnyvale was the ring bearer. The bride, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davina, was given away at the altar by her father.

Mr. Silva resides in Mulitpas, where he and his bride will make their future home.

Among those from here in addition to Miss Andrade who attended the ceremony were Mrs. Maryana Andrade, Mrs. Louise J. Avilla, Miss Evelyn Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Manual Paulo, Jr., and son Clifford; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith and daughter Evelyn.

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Reports on natural gas usage in the Niles district are:—"so far so good."

George Donovan, office manager at Niles, states that consumers in his district are taking kindly to the new heating element and that practically no serious trouble has arisen since the natural gas was poured into the service pipes on September 24.

Every consumer of artificial gas in the Niles-Centerville district is now being supplied with natural gas, according to Donovan.

"It was to be expected," he stated this week, "that the company would experience some trouble during the first few weeks of natural gas service. The new gas is twice as hot as artificial gas; burners on stoves and other appliances have to be readjusted in order to work properly.

"We are happy to state, however, that consumers of gas in this district have learned to use the new gas rapidly and our service men have experienced very little trouble since the natural gas was turned in the pipes."

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- Niles Personals -

Charles Gear and family, former residents of Niles and now of Stockton, visited with relatives and friends here last Saturday and Sunday.

Jack Sabon, part owner of the Peerless cafe, Niles, has returned from a vacation of two weeks. Sabon reports having had a good rest and that he feels quite capable of conducting his share of the business for another year.

J. V. Mann of the Niles nursery, was the speaker on Monday at the out-door luncheon meeting of the Hayward Garden club at Hillside, the home of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Hutchins in Castro Valley Mann spoke on "Flowers and Plants."

Niles Troup, Boy Scouts of America, will meet tomorrow night in the "court house" on I street. According to tentative plans, quite a lively session is scheduled.

Ed Maddeaux, popular Niles barber, was a visitor Sunday with friends in Oakland.

Charles R. Courter, news editor of the Register, was a spectator at the Saint Mary's-Army football game at Kezar stadium, San Francisco, last Sunday.

Among the recent arrivals at the Hotel Belvoir is J. C. Harrington of the federal bureau of mines. Harrington is making his home here while directing the recovery work in connection with the Western Pacific tunnel fire in Niles canyon.

G. E. Ferry, pioneer business man of Niles who is now running a large melon farm near Turlock in conjunction with his son, reported this week that his crop of canteloups, persian mellons and watermelons was exceptionally large this year and of a superior quality. Ferry conducted a pool room and cigar store in Niles for several years.

E. F. Glassbrook, superintendent of the Public Utilities California Corporation, Niles, was kept busy Tuesday overseeing the repairing of pipe in the water system in various parts of the township.

COUNTY MAY PAY PART OF TUNNEL REPAIR EXPENSE

Alameda County probably will have to pay part of the reconstruction work cost on the Western Pacific tunnel in Niles canyon.

This was intimated today when District Attorney Earl Warren was authorized by the board of supervisors to represent the county at a hearing before the state railroad commission on the plan of the Western Pacific to repair the tunnel.

The fact that the county road passes over a portion of the tunnel recently destroyed by fire is given as the reason for the county's share in paying for the reconstruction work.

Advertise in the Register.

OUR WEATHER MAN SAYS

Oct. 4, 5, 6, 7—Clearing and cold in the Northwest with a continuance of fine weather in California. Arizona and New Mexico will see some more heat.

Oct. 8, 9, 10—Cold and foggy mornings in California but a bit stormy in the north Pacific. Arizona again to be slightly disturbed.

NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR ABANDONMENT OF PUBLIC ROADS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all freeholders in Washington Road District, Washington Township, Alameda County, California, that Tuesday, the 23rd day of October 1929, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. of said day at the meeting room of theBoard of Supervisors of Alameda County in the Annex of the Hall of Records of said County at the Southeast corner of Fifth and Broadway Streets, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, have been fixed and appointed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda as the time and place of the hearing of the petition of certain residents of said road district for the abandonment and vacation of portions of public roads in said Washington Road District, which portions sought to be abandoned are hereinafter described, when and where any person interested may appear and give evidence in favor or against the proposed vacation and abandonment, as petitioned.

The portions of said roads so sought to be abandoned are described as follows, to-wit:

All that portion of County Road No. 4974 commonly known as Niles Canyon Road lying Westerly of and adjacent to the Westerly boundary line of that certain right of way heretofore conveyed by Spring Valley Water Company, a corporation, to the County of Alameda, by deed dated August 13, 1928 and Recorded in Liber 2165 of Official Records at page 376 thereof, Records of Alameda County, between the most Westerly and the most Southerly boundary lines of said Right of Way; and also all of that portion of said County Road No. 4974 lying Northeasterly of and adjacent to the Northeasterly boundary line of said Right of Way conveyed by Spring Valley Water Company to the County of Alameda by deed hereinabove mentioned between the most Westerly and the most Southerly boundary lines of said Right of Way.

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Dated this 24th day of September, 1929.

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Geo. E. Gross, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda O.3-10-17.

The Cod Leaves Boston

"THE land of the sacred cod" used to mean only Boston, but with new developments in the fish industry there is no telling just how far the phrase may soon apply. One of the largest factors in supplying codfish to inlanders has been the recent canning, as well as salting, of the fish. Canned codfish is ready to cook just as salmon or tuna is ready for use.

Flakes or Cakes

Even canned codfish is put up in several ways. One is in flakes, large, toothsome flakes which may be creamed, made into hash, timbales, and used with omelets, in salads or in other ways. It saves a lot of time not to have to soak dried codfish in making cakes or cream sauce for baked potatoes, for instance, but to use these flakes or canned codfish instead.

Another variety of codfish is of such a character that it can be easily shaped with the hands, and, when fried in deep fat, makes crusty, tender balls; or it may be turned out of the can, sliced and sautéed. Codfish hash is also put up in cans. Canned codfish is not expensive and is a welcome addition to any meal in the day.

To make fish flake timbales, add one-fourth cup sifted bread crumbs, one-fourth teaspoon paprika, two well-beaten eggs and one and one-half cups milk to a can of fish flakes. Mix well and turn into buttered timbale molds or patty pans. Stand these in a pan of boiling water reaching nearly to the top. Bake until firm. The water should barely be simmering. Unmold timbales onto a hot platter; garnish with white sauce and sliced, hard-cooked eggs.

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FOR SALE—Five room modern house, garage, new hen house, 2 lots. Terms. Willard Walker, Decoto, Cal. O.3-31p

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FOR RENT—Five room house for rent. 3rd st. Mrs. M. Borges. O.3-10p.

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Mazola Oil Quart size.	**49c**
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Clams Dodge Little Neck	**23c**
Powow Cleaner, 2 cans for	**25c**
Matches, 2 for Buffalo.	**5c**
Grape Fruit Jennings brand.	**18c**
Sweet Potatoes Accomac brand.	**17c**

Vegetables

Seedless Grapes, lb.	**5c**
Watermelons lb.	**1½c**
Oranges, 2 doz. Sweet, juicy.	**25c**
Onions, per lb. Yellow Globe.	**3c**
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Stockton — Construction under way on Fox West Coast Theater building to cost $350,000.

FIREMAN IS SLIGHTLY HURT AS LIVERMORE ROAD HOME IS RAZED

Blaze of Unknown Origin Causes Loss Exceeding $1,500

Fire which completely destroyed the home of Herman Stark on the Livermore road, Friday evening, caused a loss estimated at $1,500 and the slight injury of one Pleasanton fireman.

J. J. Amaral was slightly burned about the upper arms while hauling a hose line in close to the flaming structure

The house, a four-room structure, was burned to the ground in little more than half an hour. The alarm was turned in at 7:20 p. m. Friday night and by 8 o'clock there was nothing left but glowing embers.

Valiant efforts of the Pleasanton fire department were of no avail in saving the home. There was no one at home at the time of the fire. Mr. Stark was in town getting his supper, and the conflagration had gained considerable headway before the alarm was sounded by neighbors. The fire apparently started in the front section of the house, and fanned by a strong wind, defied all efforts to halt it.

As the location was outside the city limits, only water from the tank truck was available. It was declared by the fire department officials that it was doubtful if the structure could have been saved even if there had been pressure mains at the location. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Because of the wind which sent sparks shooting through the air for several hundred feet firemen were stationed at stragetic points in the neighborhood to prevent spread of the flames. The roof of an adjoining house was sprayed with chemicals as the burning sparks settled steadily on that place

Mr. Stark places his biggest loss in the pink registration slips of the cars he was wrecking. These will have to be duplicated before he can dispose of the dismantled engines. The loss includes several generators and starters and other electrical equipment stored in the place.

Does A Mole Cry? Maybe

There is more ways than one of applying the "try, try again, etc." motto, according to Hugo Radbruch, deputy sheriff residing in Pleasanton.

For several weeks a mole had been playing havoc with the appearance of the Radbruck lawn, and eluded the attempts of the deputy to serve a warrant charging various and sundry things.

Finally last week Mr. Radbruck opened a section of one of said mole's furrows and injected the contents of a tear bomb therein. As a mole is alleged to have no eyes, the result of the experiment is being watched with interest.

PLEASANTON GIRL IS WED IN RENO WEDNESDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Volponi are expected home from their wedding trip, this week-end, friends have been informed. The wedding took place Wednesday, September 18 at Reno, Nevada. The young couple left immediately by motor on their honeymoon, planning to visit numerous northern cities.

Mrs. Volponi is the former Miss Ella Orloff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Orloff of St. Mary's street. Mr. Volponi is of Livermore. Mr. and Mrs. Volponi will make their future home in Livermore where they have built a new home.

Miss Dagmar Orloff accompanied her sister to Reno for the ceremony. She returned the same evening.

WILBUR DAVIS TO ENTER NATIONAL SPELLING TRIALS

Wilbur Davis, California state grammar school spelling champion, will compete in the national spelling contest to be held in Washington, according to the youth's father, City Judge W. T. Davis of Pleasanton.

The date for the Washington spelling bee has not been definitely set, according to information from the state education department, which bureau is sponsoring the California entrants in the contest.

Wilbur has received his gold medal for his state championship won at the state fair at Sacramento the first part of this month. He also received $200 in gold.

SCHOOL BOY FUN DEVELOPES INTO SERIOUS AFFAIR

Livermore high school students who participated in the general football rally festivities last Thursday night painted the old town red—and literally.

After their efforts to break up the Amador Valley high's rally had failed, they opened a barrage of none too green tomatoes upon the general populace. Authorities were called to quell the small riot.

In the mixup Constable Albert Vervais was forced to halt one auto load of the Livermore boys by forcing their car to the curb with his own machine. They refused to obey his police whistle.

Judge P. C. Quinn turned the boys loose after informing them they must pay the damages done to Constable Vervais' car.

A special night watchman was employed by high school authorities to save their property. Last year damage of more than $50 was done by the rogher element of boys who came down to Pleasanton for the football rally before the Livermore game.

Vallejo — Cornerstone will be laid November 10th for new $100,000 Memorial Hall at Marin and Alabama streets.

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he pleases, or doing as he pleases, but he would show better breeding by freely doing the right thing, anyway.

Come, folks; let us think about these things. Let us make Niles an orderly place. Let us bow to the conventions that governs a first-class city with a policeman. Let us exercise a modicum of introspection and see just how we are conducting ourselves.

And while we are talking about the matter, just a word to the demons who ride motorcycles. You may get a kick out of tearing down main street at bedtime making an infernal racket, but suppose the tables were turned on you. Suppose you were a tired man just dropping off to sleep, and one of your kind burst upon the atmosphere with a cannon-like explosion of gasoline followed by a swirl that would make shivers go running up and down your spinal column. What then? Murder in your heart! We have felt that way, and we are hard of hearing, too. Think of the poor little boys and girls that have real good ears. It must be awful. Murder with them, would seem too mild a punishment for you lads that make the nights hideous on Main street.

Come, sons, let us consider the rights of others, just because that is the fine thing to do. Close your muffler, and trek out of town as quietly as possible.

Thank you.

Twentieth Century Speed Has No Thrill for Ma and Pa Pike

Did you see Ma and Pa Pike of Nebraska when they passed through Washington township last Tuesday?

No, they didnt go through in a Packard or any other high-powered car at 60 miles per. They were in an old spring wagon and Nancy and Bell, two faithful burros, were the motive power.

Ma and Pa Pike are 74 and 86 respectively. They hail from a 40-acre farm near Lincoln, Nebraska. They've been traveling as described above for three years. They have covered approximately 25,000 miles, never being on the road after six o'clock at night.

The aged couple, simple and old-fashioned in their manner and habits, stated they had never rode in an automobile or flew in an airplane and they didn't intend to do so. The old wagon and Nancy and Bell are fast enough for them

Traveling with the Pikes is "Watcher," a faithful houn'-dog who diligently guards the old folks at night and whenever they stop to rest along the roadside.

SCOUTS INSPECT MUTUAL'S PLANT FRIDAY EVENING

Seventeen members of Niles Troup, Boy Scouts of America, were guests last Friday night of the Mutual Stores in the main building on East Fourteenth street, Oakland.

The local Scouts were joined by members of other Troops scattered throughout the southern end of the county. A complete inspection of the big wholesale grocery firm was preceeded by a short exhibition of Scout work. After the tour of the building, the Scouts sat down to a fine supper and the evening was concluded with a program of music and stunts.

FIX YOUR LIGHTS

Leniency shown autoists driving with glaring headlights will no longer prevail and henceforth such offenders can expect fines or jail sentences when cited to appear at court, according to Captain Lewis Elke of the Alameda county traffic squad.

Martinez—Pacific Gas & Electric Company to remodel and improve office building at Ferry Street.

MARTIN STAJOHANN LAID TO FINAL REST

Funeral services for Martin Stajohann were conducted in the Presbyterian church Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services were in charge of Rev. R. C. Cross. Interment was made in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

Mr. Stajohann was a native of Germany. He came to this district 62 years ago. At the time of his death Saturday morning Mr. Stajohann was 77 years, three months and twenty-seven days of age. Death was due to complications of diseases and old age. He had been failing for the past four months.

Surviving are four sons and three daughters, Henry and Herman Stajohann of Pleasanton; Martin Stajohann of Alameda; and Hance Stajohann of Livermore; Mrs. P. Kroger and Mrs. Layton Hanifer of Pleasanton, and Mrs. Howard Ziegenfuss of Oakland.

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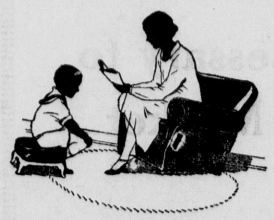

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Jell Well, all flavors, 2 pkgs.	**15c**
Century Olives, 2 cans	**27c**
Raisins, Economy, 4-lb. pkg.	**25c**
Preserves, Anchor strawberry, large jar	**49c**
Corned Beef Libby's, can	**23c**
Minced Clams, Pioneer, 2 cans	**35c**
Loaf Cheese, California cheddar, lb.	**29c**

Fruits and Vegetables

Jonathan Apples, 4 lbs. for	**29c**
Sweet Potatoes, 5 lbs. for	**29c**
Lemonettes, each	**1c**
Cabbage, per head	**9c**
Pineapple, Cragmont sliced, large 2½ can	**21c**
Salada Tea, 4-oz. pkg. **23c** 10c size	**8c**
Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour, pkg.	**11c**
Quaker Cereals, Farina or Pearl barley, pkg.	**10c**
Cliquot Club Ginger Ale, 2 bottles	**33c**
Oxydol Washing Powder, large pkg.	**18c**
Star Tobacco, cut plug, each	**12½c**

Log Cabin Syrup Medium can	**47c**
Small can	**24c**
Mutual Ice Cream Pure Fruit Flavors Pint brick	**17c**
Quart brick	**29c**

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